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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1880.

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Tobacco, from Maraeilles.

G. DE CRAMPEAUX,

Agen!. Hongkong, March 23, 1880.

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Aponte, Royal Insurance Company, Hongkong, October 27, 1874

COMPANY.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1880.

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Manager, Shanghai. Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

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Manager. Hongkong, November 1, 1879.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. TATE Have This DAY authorized Mr CARL YON PUSTAU to BIGH our Firm by Procuration.

PUSTAU & Co. Hongkoug, February 25, 1880. ma25 NOTICE.

GUSTAV HARLING has been authorized to Sign our Firm here and at SHANGHAI from this Date. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, March 15, 1880.  $m_{0}20$ 

NOTICE. AR. CHARLES T. HIRST was Admitted a PARTHER in our Firm on

the 1st January, A.C. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1880.

NOTICE. MR. HENRY ORAWFORD will Ston LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 4, 1880. NOTICE. GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT

T Have Ture DAY Established myself as and AUCTIONEER in this Colony, at 48, Queen's Road Central, under the Style or Firm of " EQA DA SILVA & Co." A. A. ECA DA SILVA.

Hongkong, March 20, 1880. NOTIOE.

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 9, 1880. myll

NOTIOE. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents to the New York Board OF UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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Intimations. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-

By Order of the Board,

Accounts will be Closed.

Hongkong, March 11, 1880.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, February 21, 1880.

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Hougkong, January 23, 1880.

J. F. SHUSTER, Proprietor.

D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

are requested to send in an Account

Secretary.

PUBLIC AUCTION. PANY, LIMITED. HE Undersigned has received in-NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. structions from the Official Assignee Norice is hereby given, that the Ninth Ordinary MEETING of the

to sell by Public Auction, on MHAREHOLDERS in the above Company THURSDAY, will be Held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, the 25th March, 1880, at 2 p.m., at the Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 27th residence of Mr J. Inglis, Praya West,-Much, 1880, at 31 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the The whole of the Directors, together with a Statement of HOUSEROLD FURNITURE, &c., Accounts to 31st December, 1879. belonging to J. Indias, Bankrupt,

comprising:-27th March, both days inclusive. English-made Walnut Oval Centre Cretonne covered Drawing room Suite. Chimney Glass, Clock, Ornaments, Engravings, Blackwood Carved Chairs, Glass Bookcase, and Books, Extension Dining Table, Sideboard,

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Hongkong, Mar. 19, 1880 \_\_\_\_\_ ma25 TWO NEW BOWLING ALLEYS HAVE PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT. O BE SOLD as a going Concern, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on A DAY to be hereafter fixed in the Month of APRIL next, (unless previously disposed

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Supreme Court House,

17th February, 1880.

Intimations.

NOTIOE. THE Undermentioned BANKS will CLOSE for Public Business on GOOD FRIDAY, the 26th Instant, and EASTER MONDAY, the 29th Instant. For the "Oriental Bank Corporation,"

GEO. O. SCOTT, Manager. For the "Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China," H. H. NELSON, Manager, For the "Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China," WILLIAM FORREST, Manager. For the "Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris," E. SOHWEBLIN, Acting Agent.

For the "Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, T. JAOKSON, Chief Manager. For the "National Bank of India, L'ted., R. H. SANDEMAN, Manager Hongkong, March 23, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. ROGERS leaves Honorous on the lat April for Shanghal, at which port he will remain during the Summer. Hongkong, February 17, 1880.

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Intimations.

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The Co.'s Steamship will be despatched on or about the 29th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hougkong, March 22, 1880. THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, OCEAN STRAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL Mesars BRERETON and WOTTON. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the CosmoroLITAN Dock, their Dock and about the 20th Instant. the Ground and Premises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-For Freight or Passage, apply to

Trade of the parties aforesa d, and the BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents, Hongkong, March 2, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR BHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Pauengers at through rates for CHEFOD, NEWCHWANG, TIEN. TSIN, HANK IW and Ports on the YANGTEZE. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. J. Wilders, will the 24th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 17, 1880. already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows :---NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARINIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamable Commandant GUIRAYD,

YOK HAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Eur pe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Agent Hongkong, March 23, 1880. MOTICE.

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Captain A. Norks, will have immediate despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co.

STAPLES, Master, will load here tor the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

FOR BAN FRANCISCO. . The A 1 American Ship DAY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have

Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

"R Robinson."
"MITE, Master, will load here

Hougkong, January 2, 1880.

Notices to Consignees.

MONS'GNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

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Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong. For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Mesers WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES. FRANK BLACKWELL FOR-BES, SAMUEL WILLYS POMEROY, Junior, JOHN MUBRAY FORBES, Junior, PREDERICE DELANO HITCH, BENEY DE COURCY FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as RUSSELL & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPRATT, ANDREW JOHR-STOR, and NELSON SPRAIT, the owners of the said Cosmopolitan Dock with Mesers KWOK ACHEONG, WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, CHARLES VINCENT PMITS, and JOSE AN-TONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmetion, for the price or sum of \$500,000, Agents, subject to the condition that if the Stock-Hongkong, March 16, 1980. in-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be not valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Captain R. J Brown, about the Bru April. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agente.

of \$500,000 shall abate accordingly. The Cosmopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels affort; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. apl The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Rep dring Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active business, which it is expected will be highly remunerative. The Business of the Company will be conducted by Mesers Russeau & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

\$75 per share on allotment. \$25 per share on the let day of May All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear interest at 12 per cent. per annum. Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

To Means Russell & Co., General Agents. GENTLEMEN, --hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to sud agree to pay the first Call of 870 per share on allotment, and the second Call of \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to substribe the Articles of Association when required to do so.

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Gentlemen.

Your obedient Servant, N.B .- Blank Form of Application for





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THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KAISAR-I-HIND, Capt. R. METHVEN, will leave this ou WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant, at 11 p.m.

Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vid Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the direct route. Silk and Valuables will be transferred to the Calcutta steamer at

Galle. For further Particulars, apply to A. MolVER, Superintendent Hongkong, March 11, 1880.

## Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

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and

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THE S. S. GAELIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokobama, on WEDNESDAY, 7th April, 1880, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europa.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shangbai. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 6th April. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages

should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-

SAGE TICKETS. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus-

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, March 17, 1880.

NOTICE,

toms, San Francisco.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS,

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, TOINT DE GALLE. ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT

SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES;

PONDIOHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

WEDNESDAY, the 31st March. 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. b. DJEMNAH, Commandant HERNANDEZ, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 30th March, 1880, (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, March 18, 1880.



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA PIA KOBE,

THE S. S. NIIGATA MARU, Capt. WALKER, due here on or about the 29th Instant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 3rd April, at Day.

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 2nd April, No Bill of Lading signed under \$2

All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

NAGABARI. Do. \$75. Do. \$20. Of which is paid up £ 100,000 ; 'A BEDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN PASSAGES.

will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's OFFICES, No. 50A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

Hongkong, Match 23, 1880.

# Insurances.

VANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)......Tls. 420,000 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND .......Tla. 206,370

TOTAL CAPITAL and Ac-CUMULATION, 25th .....Tls. 856, 370 April, 1879..... Directors.

F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. M. W. Boyd, Esq. | WM. MEYERINE, Esq. C. LUGAS, Esq. 8. D. WEBB, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE-SHARGHAL. Menara RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries. LONDON BRANCH.

Mesars BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers. FULLARTON HENDERSON, Eaq., 8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. Subject to a charge of 12 % for Interest annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premium

paid by them. RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 1, 1879. 10080

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament,

Евтавивико 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. THE Undersigued Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,

Hongkong, July 6, 1875. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY

(LIMITED.) NOTICE.

OLICIES granted at current rates on Marino Risks to all parts of the World In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association. Two Thirds of the Profit are distributed annually to Contributorss whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the nett amount of Premia contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

J. BRADLER SMITH, Secretary. Hongkong, December 9, 1878.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore Saigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at

the above mentioned Ports. NO CHARGE FOR POLICY PRES. JAS: B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, November 1, 1871. THE LONDON ASSURANCE,

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720. INR Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-

Marine Department. Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia. Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods a current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed.

Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL,-Two MILLIONS STEELING.

ITHE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES sgainst the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be recaived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

posais or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON, ESTABLISHED 1824

Reserve Fundupwards of £ 120,000 Annual Income & 250,000 CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki / THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghal,

and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. ap8 Hungkong, October 16, 1868.

## Insurances.

SWISS LLOYD OF WINTERTHUR.

TNSURANCES granted on MARINE . RISKS to all parts of the World, MEYER & Qa., Agents.

Hongkong, June 3, 1879. SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRM AND LIFE.

TNSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduction in Premia for LIFE Insurance in MEYER & Co., Agenta. Hongkong, June 2, 1879. 2jn80

Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROPITS Crew of the following Vessels, during of the Underwriting Business will be their stay in Honghong Harbour:— R. Robinson, American abip, Captain

> SARAH SOFT, British barque, Captain Ratall.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. ELIZA HAWLEY, British barque, Capt. J. Tuckey.—Melchers & Co.

Smith. -- Vogel & Co.

### BHIPPING.

arrivals.

March 24, Kwanglung, British steamer, 674, J. C. Abbott, Fuochow March 19, Amoy 21, and Swatow 23, Sugar. - DOUGLAS LA-PBAIR & Co. March 24, Glenlyon, British steamer,

1374, J. Wallace, Swatow March 23, 4 p.m. -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. March 24, Chin-tung, Chinese steamer, rom Canton.

March 24. Decima, German steamer, 1135, A. E. Lüthjens, Saigen March 18, General.—EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. March 24, Haikiang, Chinese gunboat, from Canton.

DEPARTURES. Mar. 24, Kiungchow, for Holhow. 24, Agamemnon, for Amoy and S'hai. 24, Yangteze, for Shanghal. 24, Diamante, for Amoy. 24, Baikiang, Chinese gunboat, for Canton. 24, H.M.S. Vigilant, for Canton. 24, Breconshire, for Saigon.

CLEARED. Auguste Reimers, for Takao. Kwangtung, for Coast Ports.

> PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Kwangtung, from Coast Ports, Mr. and Mrs Sanders and Miss Sanders, and 257 Chinese. Per Decima, from Saigon, 14 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Agamemnon, for Amoy, Mr J. Matin, and 100 Chinese; for Shanghai, Mr M. Pederson, Rev. Dr. and Mrs Taylor. Per Kiungchow, for Holhow, 14 Chinese Per Yangieze, for Shanghai, 60 Chinese. Per Diamante, for Amoy, 120 Chinese. Per Breconshire, for Saigon, 20 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Kaisar i- Hind, from Hougkong : for Singapore, H. E. Major General and Mrs Donovan, Capt. Barton, A.D.C.; for Bombay, Mr E. Ebrahim and native servant, Mr C. B. Rickett; for Southampton, Messrs W. S. Bamsey and Corcoran - From Shanghai : for Bombay, Mr S. K. Mody and native servant; for Southampton, Mr and Mrs Burkill, 2 children and native servant, Mr and Mrs Holwell, 3 children and Kuropean servant, Rev. D. Williamson, Mrs Ramesy, 3 children and native servant. Per Kwangtung, for Coast Ports, 5 Euro peans, and 300 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Kwangtung reports: Left Foothow on the 19th, Amoy 21st, and Swatow 23rd. Experienced strong N. winds and moderate sea throughout. Passed a steamer bound North off Bell Island on the 21st (Japanese). Parsed a steamer bound North off Swatow on the 21st. Amoy : S. S. Nestor, and B. M. S. Frolice In Swatow: S. S. Laertes, Bombay, and Yotiung. The British steamer Glenlyon reports:

Fresh N.E. mousoon throughout.

CARGO.

Per Kaisar-i-Hind, to London, 2869 boxes and 2237 half chests Tea, 56 bales Silk. 169 Bales Wasto Silk, 177 bales Wild Silk, 4 cases Silk Plece Goods, 2390 pkgs. Sundries. To Continent, 52 bales Silk, 10 | saction of Public Business on GOOD FR. 35 pkgs. Sundries. To New York, 27 bales | and 29th Instant. Silk, 859 pkgs. Sundries.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close :-

For SHANGHAL. Per Chin-tung, at 1.80 p.m. To-morrow, the 25th inst.

FOR STRAITS SETTLEMENTS AND Per China, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 28th

For BANGKOK,-Per Dale, at 9 a.m., on Friday, the 26th For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODBOW .-Per Kwangtung, at 5 p.m., on daturday, the 27th lost, instead of as pre-

viously notified.

For JAPAN via KOBB.-Per Niigata Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 2nd April.

MAILS BY THE PRESON PAGENT. The French Contract Packet Demnal wi be despatched on WEDNESDAY the Slat Instant, with Mails to an through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burman, Coylon, the Australiasian Colonies, Pondichery Madras, Caloutta, Aden, Egypt, Malts and Gibraltar.

The usual cours will be observed in cloubly the Mails, do.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:--

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY The British Contract Packer Kaisar i-Hind will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. the 24th March, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindini; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmab, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib-raltar. This is the best opportunity for forwardin Correspondence to Manritius, E. Africa, the Cape, St. Helena, and Ascension.

N.B .- This Packet carries to mails for the Australian Colonies .-

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH MAILS. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, dre., by the British Contract Packet :-

Day of Departure,-P.M. - Money Order Office closes. Croal's " Book about Travellers." 5.30 P.M .- Post Office closes till 8 P.M. Burna's " Poetical Worke." except the NIGHT Box, which is always open out of Office hours. Pope's "Poetical Works." P.M .- Post Uffice opens.

P.M.—Registry of Letters coases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 10 P.M. -- Mails closed, except for Late

10.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 10.40 r.m .- Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

THE FRENCH MAILS. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, do., by the French Contract Packet :-

Day before Departure. P.M. - Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the NIGHT BOX, which is always open out of Office hours.

Day of Departure,-A.M. -- Post Office opens. A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. A.M. -Mails closed, except for I ate

11.10 A.M.-Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M. - when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M.-Late Letters may be posted

To-day's Advertisements.

on board the packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents until time of

THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.

TADAME DORIANI FRENCH OPERA COMIQUE COMPANY Will have the honor of giving their SECO

PERFORMANCE, on MONDAY NEXT, the 29th Instant.

When will be presented HERVE's OPERA COMIQUE in Three Acts. "LE PETIT FAUST!

For Particulars see Programmes. PRICES OF ADMISSION: 

Doors open at 8; Performance to commence at 9 o'clock. Tickets may be had and Seats secured at

Hongkong, March 24, 1880, FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

night of Performance:

The Steamship "Kwangtung," Captain ABBOTT, will be Ports on SUNDAY, the 28th Instant, at Band Book "Travel Talk." Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkopg, March 24, 1880.

NOTIOE.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

HE Undermentioned INSURANCE C FICES will be CLOSED for the Tranbales Waste Silk, I case Silk Piece Goods, DAY and EASTER MUNDAY, the 26th

> JABDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents; Canton Insurance Office ; General Managers, 2. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. N. J. EDF, Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton. REGINALD D. STARKEY,

Acting Agent, North-China Insurance Company. RUSSELL & Co., Agents, Yanginze Insurance Association JAMES B. COUGHTRIE. Scoretary,

B. GOLDSMITH, Act. Ferretary,

J. BRADLEE SMITH, Fearetary,

The Chinese Insurance Co., Limited,

Hongkong, March 24, 1880.

CHANGE OF NAME.

Foothow in the Compile of Chien do hereby give notice that I have assumed and intend henceforth in all transactions doouments writings legal and other proceedings. dealings and matters to sign use and be called by the Surname of CAVE-THOMAS to lieu of and in substitution for my former surname Thomas. In Testimony whereof do hereby sign and subscribe myself by such my intended future fiame, Dated the 28rd day of Ma ch A D. 1880 FRANCIS HENRY CAVE THOMAS.

To-day's Advertisements.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE ATEW AND POPULAR

EDUCATIONAL, BISTORICAL, WORKS OF REFERENCE. FIOTION, and GENERAL LITERATURE

English Oircumnavigators."

BOOKS

Macan's "Great Triumph of Great Men." Herbert's "Great Historical Mutinies." Monerleff's "Famous Historical Ecened." "English Explorers." Muson's " Book for Every Day." Bruce's "Book of Notable Women." Small's "100 Wonders of the World."

Byron's " Postical Works," "Roses and Holly," "Pen and Pencil Pictures from Poets." Gems of Literature." "Book of Elegan: Extracts." "Golden Gift "ook." "Treasury of Literature." 10.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with "Garland of Postry and Prose."

Late Fee of 10 cents until "Cabinet of Gems." Cabinet of Gems."

Three Hundred Bible Storler."

Bunyan's "Pilgrim Progress and Roly War." Storm outh's "Handy English Word Book." Fifty Celebrated Men. Robinson Crusoe." Household Stories."

Noyce's "Boys' Book of Industrial Informa-" Famous Boys." Merchant's Clerk." Poe's " Tales of Mystery." Beston's "Dictionary of Information, Beeton's "Distionary of Natural History." Secton's "Dictionary of Biography." Beeton's "Law Book." Beeton's "Household Management." Beeton's "All about Cookery," Beeton's "All about Hard Words." Beston's "All about Everything." Beeton's "All about Gardening." Breton's " Household Amusement." Le-'s " Law of Shipping and Insurance." "Walsh on the Horse." "The Dog, by Stonehenge," Graham's " Household Medicine." Gardner's "Household Medicine." Piddington's "Sailors' Horn Book." Goodfellow's" Merchant's Oniculator."

"Girls Own Treasury. Pepar's " Boys' Play Book Science. Foden's 4 Boiler Maker, &c." Bunyan's " Law of Fire Insurance." Byrne's "Essential Elements of Practical Mechanics." Corner Cupboard." Croll's "Climate and Time." Dawson's "Origin of the World." "Church Services." Whittaker's Almanack for 1880

Duncan's "Transformation of Insects."fonca' " Book-Keeplog." Jones' Book-Keeping for Schools, with Cassell's "Sets of Ruled Books for Book Keeping Lessons." Cassell's "French and English Correspond-

Cornwell'a "Geography." Cornwell's "Arithmetle." Cornwell's 4 Grammas:10 Murray's "Grammar." MacCulloch's "Course of Reading," "Practical Arithmetic," Senior. Smith's "Smaller History of Greece." mith's "Smaller History of Rome." Motley's "Rise and Fall Dutch Republic." Motley's "United Notherlands." Barneveld's "Life and Death," "Enquire Within." Nories " Epitome." Ingoldaby Legends." Humes' " Essays." Smith's " Wealth of Nations." " Boys' Own Treasury. "Comic History of England." Comic History of Rome." "Carpenter's Synonyma." Roget's "Thesanrus" Crabb's "English Synonyms." Anderson's "Mercantile Correspondence. Blakeley's "Commercial Dictionary "Slang Dictiorary." Messra Knuse & Co.'s, while Tickets may Nuttall's "Standard Dictionary." be had at the door of the Theatre on the Ogilvies' "Sindents' Dictionary." Ogilvies' "Emaller Dictionary." Smith's "Synonyma." " Dictionary of Quotations." Chambers's " Arithmetic and Key." " Manual of Arithmetic." Manual of Mechanics." "Manual of Steam Engine." "Manual of Tides and Tidal Currents." " Manual of Mathematical Tables." Dickena's "Child's History of England." Bangreft's " History of United States," " Child's Guide to Knowledge," "Child's Fable Book." Maunder's "Tressury of Knowledge, Maunders Botany.

Maunders ! Biographical Treasury. Maunder's "Scientific and Historical Tres-Maunder's "National History," Ayres' "Bible History," Pewtner's "Comprehensive Specifier." Froude's "Short Studies." Bourne's " Recent Improvements." Humen' "History of England," White's " Latin and English Dictionary." Buckle's "Bistory of Civilization in Eng-

Amos' "Primer English Constitution." Swinbunto's "Picture Logie." Smith's " Wit and Wisdom." Gray's "Ca alogue of Postage Stamps," Burn's " Self Aid Cyclopedia." Jones' "English System of Book Keeping."
"Manners Modern Society." Routledge's " Boys' Annual." "Language, &c. of Flowers."

Spencers "Social Statios." Spencar's "Study of Sociology." Spencer's "First Principles."
Spencer's "Principles of Sociology." China Fire Icaurance Co., Limited. Spencer's "Ceremonial Government." Spencer's " Essays," Haydn's "Dictionary of Science," China Traders' Insurance Co., Limited. Smyth's "Our Inberitance in the Great

Pyramida." Haswell's "Engineer's and Mechanic's cetablish the Bank. We can wouch for it Pocket Book." "Voyage of H.M.S. Challenger." "Compendium of Universal History." " Weekly Welcome." Macaulaya "History of England." FRANCIS HENRY CAVE. THOMAS Macaulay's "Critical & Historical Rusays."

formerly Francis Henry Thomas "Cabinet Lawyer."

Cabinet Lawyer." Sheppard's " Ball of Rome."
Dr Ahn's "Studies in French & German."

Ollendorff's "Method" in the sindy of Language adapted to the French. Spanish and German. NOVELSI

SOHOOL BOOKS, MAPS, &c. &c.

Hongkong, March 24, 1880.

NOVELS

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Auction

2 p.m. - Auction of Household Furniture, do, at Mr J. Inglis's residence, Prays

General Memoranda. FRIDAY, March 28 :-

Local Banks of se.

Insurance Offices close.

Noon -Tenders for War Department Contract close. ATURDAY, March 27:-3.30 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of The Chinese Insurance Co., Limited, at Head Office. UNDAY, March 28 :-

Daylight -Kwangtung leaves for Count MONDAY, March 29 :-Local Banks close. Insurance Offices close.

9 p.w.—Operatio Performance at the City WEDNESDIY, March 31:-Noon - French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

SATURDAY, April 8 :--Daylight .- Mitan Bishi Mall leaves for Yokohama yla Kobs. MONDAY, April 5:-9 pim .- Meeting of Zotland Lodge.

WEDNESDAY, April 7:---3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY Established A.D. 1841. 香港大藥房

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OF A SOME TY, OFF Soda Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water, Giogerade, Potess Water, Sarsaparilla Water, and other Aerated Waters, The Manufactory is under direct and continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

Passencers arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, Chins, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the " Oning Mail" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, from these countries, are from to-day filed for reference.

at 7.55 p.m.

The publication of this issue commerced withit. The disadvantage has been sorely The China Mail. HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAB. 24, 1880 The expediency has been argently pressed on us lately of establishing a Postoffice Savings Bank in Hongkong, the public demand for which comes from various quarters and different classes. There is a large European sea-faring element whose head-quarters are here; the temptations to squander their earn- emanating from Japan, and debit them inge are numerous enough, but there is to the Hongkong office, Japan accountlittle or no inducement to save. There ing to Hongkong for all payments made is a large middle class element in Hongkong to whom the establishment of a has suggested that Japan communicate Savings Bank would be a great boon; with England and ask to be allowed the and a strong reason for such an Institut full benefit of a convention similar to tion being set on foot lies in the fact that | those subsisting between England and a Saving. Bank is in itself an incentive Continental nations. He has given the to thrift. That has been amply proved Japanese Post Office information as to in Great Britain during the last ten the cosiderable trouble the Branch years, and human nature is the same, we Money Order system entails, and if are told, all the world over. In 1872 in face of this the Japanese Post the late Mr C. May, the then Postmaster Office is still auxious to undertake W General (Mr F. W. Mitchell) and Mr W. M. Denne, were "appointed a committee to enquire as to the expediency of establishing a Savings Bank," and while there was little response to the request which appeared in the Government Gazette for information from the community on the subject with a view to ascertain "if there is a class of residents in the Colony likely to avail themselves of such an institution," they themselves seem to have answered the question in the affirmative, for they prepared a full set of rules and constitution and strongly recommended the creation of a Savings THE BOAT BACE Bank. This recommendation has been passed over, the report of the Committee Oriord won. has not yet seen the light, as it has continued to adorn some pigeon hole of the Colonial Secretary's Office for five long years. We respectfully ask, that it be disentembed. The accomplishment of such a work as the construction of a Bavings Bank would do more real last ing good to the Colony and he an act of far higher credit to the Governor under

whose auspices it was done than the

showiest surprise in a whole lifetime

of an approximate imitation of the

machiavellism of the policy of a

Beaconstield. The only way, we submit,

a class of residents in the Colony is to

that there will be a handsome and pro-

fitable business before it, and that much

good will be done to a large class of

Singapore there is a flourishing Savings

Bank with a large array of depositors

and a huge fund in hand of the savings of

middle-class men and women. The special

a too free spending of their money. There

to ascertain Whether there is such

which has been presented forcibly to us by those who are placed over various companies and crows and staffa of such men as we refer to, and know their feelings and their desire in the matter. There has been such a turmoil all over the world in Postal matters during the last three years that we cannot feel surprised at Mr Lister not yet having had time to consider this, but we hope that he may now see his way to bring the scheme before the Government. A work like this could not but do immense good in the Colony, and we would heartily urge it on the attention of the

WE observe that certain complaints

have arisen in Japan from the fact that

the abolition of the English and French

Post Offices has caused the stoppage of the money orders to Europe. There seems to be some considerable misapprehension on the matter, judging from the utterances of some of the Yokohama journals, and these it may be as well to remove. The fact of course is that the Convention of Paris made no provision whatever for any money-order system between Union Countries; the question is entirely one for mutual arrangement between the different countries, and it is very likely, we imagine, to long continue so. The Japan Herald says,-"The matter was however. brought before the delegates at the conference at Paris, but we understand that the British representative objected to any extension of the system to Japan; in consequence of the extra trouble involved." Now this is an entire misapprehension. What occurred was this. As elaborate scheme was laid on the table for all countries joining the Postal Union also forming themselves into a money-order association, every country to open an account with every other country and to cash her orders. This was by some of the delegates considered so unwieldy a scheme as to DAUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, NORSERY REQUI- be impracticable; the system would produce no great result to compensate for the enormous amount of labour it would involve, or the expense and the intolerable trouble and confusion it would certainly bring about. It was not objected to more by the English delegates than by the representatives of other countries. The only shape an international money-order Union could take would be that of the Postal Union, with a Central Office with which alone would each country have to keep an account, and there are unfortunately facts and fears which render the creation of such a system a possibility of only the far distant future. So much for the general principle; to note now the history of this want of facilities between Japan and Europe of which complaint is made in Yokobama. We thought Yokohama would at least be happy when she got her letters all by San Francisco and the whole Post Office traffic transferred to the Japanese; but now there is this grumbling because when the English Post Office was removed, the moneyorder office, which was part of it, went felt, and correspondence between Mr Bryan, the Superintendent of the Japanese Post Office, and the Postmaster General here, has taken place. The money order system in Japan has been maintained in the past mainly for the Fieet; and the men on board our vessels-of-war are. together with their friends at home, those who have suffered most from its abolition. Mr Bryan has called the attention of Mr Lister to this, and suggested that Hongkong should act as the intermediary of Japan in the matter; that is to say, that a request should be made that the home Post Office cash all money orders on her account in England. Mr Lister the work, there will be no objection at this end of the line to a resumption of the communication. It is to be hoped, for the sake of the convenience of an important and large body of people here and at home, that the proposal will be carried out. REUTER'S TELEGRAMS SUPPLIED TO THE "CHISA MAIL"]

(Per B. B. A. & O. Telegraph Co & Line) LONDON, MAION 22.

next American Mail may be expected here on or about the 28th instant, by the O. & O. steamer Gaelic. She brings Sen Francisco dates to the 28th ult. The next France Matt. may be expected to arrive here on or about the 29th by the

H.M.S. Pigilant, 2, Lienk. Commander Auncales, with Vice Admiral Cooks, C.B. on board, left for Canton the estamoon. where the Commander in chief intends

Kolsur-I Him I for a holiday of six or seven

THE case Begins o. Henry Field (the Mensious case) will come on to morrow at 10 class of residents to whom the Savings a.m., and we are requested by the Sheriff to Bank would be a boon is that class of state that all Jusous summoned on this persons who require to be wesned from Sessions will have to attend.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

M. M. steamer Oxite, which brings London dates to Feb. 20th. IMERICION Cornors goes home by the

persons. In the neighbouring Colony of paying w visit of a few days.

Our local Volunteers have made a ready

is a great field for such a work here, and it is one which most legitlmately and fairly comes within the duty of Govern- response to the invitation of the Royal ment. We hope that something may be Artillery to take part in the Tug of War at done to give effect to the proposition their for hooming sports next week. A

very presentable team has been got together and we observe with pleasure that it is composed of no less than air nationalities, Scotland furnishing 3, Ireland and Germany 2 each, and England, Wales and Sweden 1 each. We do not see much of our local braves, and we trust they will make such a display as will do credit to their uniform in which they will no doubt appear. The following is the team selected :- Capt. Coxon, W. K. Hughes, A. R. Travers, W. Schmidt, .. Wohlters, C. Wassenius, W. Ross, J. Boyd, W. Legge, H. E. Wodehouy.

THE employee of the China and Oriental Sugar Befineries in Hongkong and Swatow have in the most liberal manner offered a Cup to the Yacht Club to be raced for, and the match has been arranged to come on Saturday next. Added to the Cup. which is of the value of \$75, a money prize of \$25 is offered, to be divided amongst the Chinese Crew of the winning yacht. The course is from Kowloon Coalsheds to a mark off Cow-e-chow, thence round Channel Rocks in Ly-ee-moon ; back to Cow-e-chow. and finish at P. M. S. S. Co.'s buoy, 28 miles. Time allowano, same as in last into power a purely Conservative Ministry match. fintrance \$5; start 10 o'clock. Three boats to start. Maich to be concluded before 6 c'olock p.m.

Naiad, Naomi, and Ariel have already entered, and the only thing required is a

WHEN the last mail left San Francisco the nou arrivaliof two vessels from Hongkong. considerably everdue, was causing some speculation. They were the Homeword and the Antioch. The British barque Homepool, England, four years ago, and owned vessel, being 15 years old.

A POOR crazed Portuguese seaman, known bear the helm of State to the safer side in as Phillip, had a narrow escape of losing the always arduous political navigation of his life in the harbour to-day. Impressed | modern times. It is remarkable that, after with the idea that he was a Saint (or tather so considerable an interval, the personnel two Saints, claiming to be St. Phillip and St. of the new Ministry is so nearly identical Isgo rolled into one) and imagining that he as it is with that of previous Administrashared with other saints the power of tions of the late Lord Derby and Mr Diswalking on the water, he jumped from raeli,-Mr Cross being the only accession." Peddar's Wharf into the water with the intention of walking to Marao. A police true conservatism that holds to prudent constable, Gool Mahomed, No. 560, ac lines of policy preservative of a moral as coutred as he was, plunged in after the | well as political and material prestige madman, and with the assistance of a boat, | separated Lord Derby from Lords Beacons to the constable for his plucky act, and he and now we hear of his declared affillation should be rewarded for his bravery. He with the Liberal Party. undoubtedly saved the man's life, and to grapple with a madman in the sea and bring him safe to shore in spite of himself is not a task every one would care to take in hand. The case was brought before the Magistrate (Hon. C. B. Plunket), and the evidence of the constable heard. He said the man evidently intended to drown him-The affair took place at 9.45 this morning. The defendant, who was charged with attempting to commit sui ide, made the statement we have given. He gave his name as Fillippe Xavier. He was emphatio in his protests that he could walk on the water, and seemed astounded that the Magistrate did not seem to believe him. He could walk to Macao in an hour; he desired to go there to worship his mother's grave. The case was remanded for one week; the prisoner, in the meantime, to be under medical care. The man we believe has been for long in a silly state, now wild, now simply weak in intellect. He has given the police a lot of trouble with his mad freaks and certainly requires looking after. The cases of such men are painful, and it is difficult to know what to do with them.

Apvices from New York, sign the World, andounce the complete success of Mesers Bullivan and Gilberl's new comic opera, The Pirates of Pensance. The funniest bit of the librette seems to be the following, aung by policemen. The sergeant leads, and the chorus echoes the last syllables of the Huea

"When the enterprising burgiar isn't burgling, Chorus : Pled with crimes He loves to hear the little brooks a gurgling, Chorus : Brooks a gorging And listen to the merry village chimes, Chorus: Village chimes.
When the coster's finished jumping on his mother Chorus : On his mother, He loves to lie a backing in the sun, Chorus: In the sun,

O, take one consideration with another, Chorus : With another. The Policeman's lot is not a happy one, Chorus: Happy one

Capton, March 23. Recently we saw an announcement that the Lord Chancellor was preparing to submit to Parliament a comprehensive scheme for a reform of the Land Laws; but the telegram since to hand tells us of the dissolution of Parliament. The inference is. either that the Ministry finally shrank from the responsibility of the initiative in a measure so fundamental and so vital to their supporters especially, -whilst conscious of the imperative need of dealing with it, or saw signs of a lessening hold upon the constituencies as the consequence of a delay of the dissolution. At this point of time and of events it is perhaps pardonable to recall what we wrote on the 24th of February 1874, at the moment of getting, here, the telegram announcing the then new Ministry; especially as Lords Salisbury and Derby have both so soted their parts as to verify our contrast of them and even illustrate our delineations of their individual characteristics.

"And so the reactionary wave, whose approach we saw some time ago, has borne and one cast in a form shewing the healing of a former breach and assuring adhesive solidity; nor should we be surprised if this Administration proved longer-lived than Mr Gladstone's has The animating principle of a conservative reaction is a reassertion of the national spirit; and in this case it has been contributed to by secidental causes from time to time until the cumulative influence has wrought a readjustment of moral power :- a moral power that had been frittered away, a hostile ward, Captain Dingle, left Hongkong on critic would say, by a sort of piddling policy. or about the 15th of last October, in bal- But there are no lasting blots on the last, and consigned to Balfour, Guthrie & brilliant record of Mr Gladstone; and Co. She is a wooden yourel, built in Liver- | history will assign him a high place as an Administrator, though he lacks, as yet, the by Cruickshank, Glass & Co. of Liverpool, firm grasp and steady poise that gave his The American barque Antioch, Captain An- exemplar, Peel, his statesman-like control drew Weeks, left Hongkong on the same of affairs. We may say that the dominaday as the Homeward, laden with a general ting spirit reasserts itself in this change, cargo of Chinese merchandise valued at though not with retroactive force; for \$4164, and consigned to C. L. Taylor. She whilst Lord Salisbury might be said to em-Preston, McKinnon & Co., and is a good its philosophical exponent, and Lord Derby's prudence and wisdom, (which we may call uncommon common-sense) will

The crucial test of consistency and of the got him to the shore. Great credit is due field and Salisbury at a critical moment;

The actual revulsion consequent upon the results of flagrant lapses from the true policy of ounserving so real a pulssance sa that of England was recognized as being in 1877, dose not, however, at present seem so general as we expected when we heard of the revolt at Cabul in September and it remains a question whether the general sense of insecurity in the political affairs of Europe will impair the hold o Ministers upon the constituencies and spansfer power to their opponents, led by the brilliant phalank of Gladstone, Bright Lowe, Harcourt and others of the untitled and by Argyli, Granville, Hartington and

others of the nobility. Une can not but acknowledge that reponderance of capacity and weight, as represented by active leaders, rests at present with the Liberals; but the influences arrayed in the support of the present Administration are enormous.

The project of Commender Chayne loons is justly criticised by Lord Bury, as of an inflaved ballunacy tendency to the sacrifice of life; though his lordship treats it in more serious phase than this.

THE FRENCH OPERA BOUFF

COMPANY AT THE CITY HALL. Madame Doriani's French Opera Co mique Company inaugurated a short season of opera bouffe at the City Hali last night, when was presented Lecoo's "Giroffé-Giroffa." The audience was unfortunately a very small one, and we think the directoress was ill advised to have commenced her performances in Passion Week, as the "unco guid, generally the most consistent patrons induced to appear in public until after Easter. The selection of "Girofle Girofia" as an opening piece was also a When the cut-throat isn't occupied with crimes, Locoq's music is singularly unattractive. second mate of the same vessel, in the peared under exceptionally unfavorable circumstances, and we are therefore inclined to suspend our critical judgment as to their histrionic and musical spilities until they have another chance of showing in their true colors.

"Giroffé-Giroffa" has been presented here so recently, first by Elcia May's

stances to warrant hopes of better things. of siding the most progressive actrees with a clear voice, which she mercial intercourse. uses with taste and discretion, and we shall watch with interest her future read Lever's novel, Tony Butler, and appearances. Madame Bourgoin was remember how, being employed as a excellent as Aurore, and M. Junck Foreign Office messenger, the diligence exocedingly funny as Balero. It is only fair to state that the performance went down in crossing the Alps. very smoothly from beginning to end, were frequently applauded.

Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. C. B. Plunket ) Wednesday, March 24.

with cutting trees on Caroline Rill on the 23rd instant

P. C 133, Chung Asze, proved the case. He went up the hill at 5.30 p.m. yesterday,

freshly out young trees. Defendant said he had not out the trees, he had merely picked them up for firewood. Fined \$5, in default fourteen days' im-

Mok Ayau, a ricepounder, was charged with the larceny of property of the value

of \$160 on the 22nd inst. Sam Po Hing, a man of independent means residing in Cauton, said he name to Hongkong on the 22nd inst. accompanied by a servant. He rented an unocoupled house opposite the Fire Brigade Station, and ntered into possession about noon. p.m. he and his servant went out, the officer, and at the same time was ex- supply the machinery. latter fastening the outer door with a is valued at \$12,000 and is owned by body it uncompromisingly. Mr Disraeli is padlock. He dired with a friend on the back for some clothes, when it was dis- arrangements between England and covered that the house had been broken China. He found himself at Chefoo, into and property to the extent of \$160 and thither the Chinese Plenipotentiary Information was given to the police, and

the defendant was arrested in a brothel with part of the stolen property in his Defendant gave the common excuse that a man, of course unknown, gave him the hings to carry to a brothel, and he did

not know why he was arrested. Sentence, six months' imprisonment with

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Cheung Atam, a fisherman, found guilty of being in possession of a number of fishing nets and a pair of unfinished trousers, knowing the same to have been stolen, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

A notice has been posted on the door the British Consulate to the effect that resident at Hiogo who had not registered themselves on or before that date. From the News of the 6th inst. we learn

that the fire on board the American ship St. Charles had been entirely extinguished. but the vensel was burnt down to her 18-feet mark, Salving operations had been pushed on rapidly, and about 1,500 cases of kerosene had been taken out of the 'sween decks, the operations having been carried far enough to show that all car o (over 28,000 cases), in the lower hold was saved. It would thus seem that her \$7,700 for the vessel and cargo, will make

money by the transaction; At the request of Captain E. V. Gates, the master of the of, Charles, a Court of nquiry has been held at the United States consisted of J. Stahel, Esq., U. S. Consul, and Mesara, J. D. Carroll, T. F. Mo lrath. and E. H. Gill. Assessors. The captain and officers of the St. Charles, as well as several of the craw, were examined, and after a careful investigation the following decision was rendered:-ist: That the origin of the fire is unknown. 2nd : That in our opinion no blame attaches to the captain of the vessel: 3rd: That every effort was made by the captain, officers and crew of the vessel to extinguish the fire. 4th: That the inflammable nature of the cargo rendered the best efforts of the captain and crew, and the assistance obtained and rendered from and by the English, German and Italian men-ofwar in port, abortive, and their efforts only ceased when the ship was in flames and the

James c'Neitl, one of the seamen belong ing to the crew of the St. Charles, has been gried in the United States Consular Court before J. Stanel, Ray, Consul, setting judicially, and Mesara, J. Keetch, H. G. O. chase, D. B. Taylor, and D. H. Tilson, on

style of most French tonors. The sentiment, impossible task of at the one Mourzouk of M. Mennge was an even time helping the most jealously exclusive performance throughout, and efficiently nation on the earth to carry out its meritorious under depressing circum traditional policy, and on the other hand Madame Meunge, who doubled the parts | energetic of mercantile people to surof Paquita and Pedro, is a dashing little mount the difficulties imposed on com-Some of our readers may pearably have

in which the hero was travelling broke polite fellow traveller kindly took charge and that the efforts of the performers of Tony's baggage while he, all energy, was getting the carriage to rights. possessed of over Tls. 200,000, so when Need it be said that on arrival at the he came on the scene he asked H. E. to other side neither stranger nor Foreign allow him to take the management of Office despatches were to be found! the company. The Viceroy informed The polite fellow-passenger was the him that as Peng had been commissionservant of another State, where a view | ed from the first to act in the matter, he of Tony's despatches was eminently could not now put T'a in his place, but desired, and he did but his diplomatic he trusted that T'a would co-operate Leong Chin Chung, a coolie, was charged duty in assisting his Government to with Peng and help him all he could. obtain them at so small an expenditure of money and bluster. Now it strikes us one of his relatives, his mother, we bethat something not unlike this incident has happened more than once in China. none himself, notwithstanding his adfound defendant tying up a bundle of Sir Rutherford Alcock was entrusted mission to the Viceroy of the amount of by the Foreign Office with important his wealth. The request was declined. negotiations with the Chinese Govern. Peng accounts for the money not being ment. We have recorded Sir Ruther- forthcoming owing to those who took ford's own statement that he was accosted shares declining to pay up, though he by a very polite fellow-sojourner in states he will pay when the money comes Peking, who offered to carry his des. in. At one of the interviews the Viceroy patches to the Tsung-li Yamen. Like is stated to have said " Don't bother me, poor Tony, the Minister was so struck you had better return to Shanghai and by the disinterestedness of the offer that he at once resigned his Foreign Office | reported that T'a was trying to comprobag to the stranger. The result was the well-known but abortive Convention of by paying Tis. 10,000. The natives Peking. On another occasion another British Minister had a very delicate in that the firm did not get the agreemission to perform. He had to exact

satisfaction for the murder of a British pected to obtain some improvements in the generally strained commercial effect with the irate British Minister. By a curious combination of circumgentleman appeared on the scene. He was quickly at home with both diplomatists, and showed such a gene-

bustle between the two

decoration of the Bath for his pains affair we shall say little. If under preplaying the game of the British Govern-Chinese exclusiveness, and has, in his can with a good grace a cept the proposed the British Government seems so in-

picture presented to us. HE PROPOSED NATIVE COTTON MILLS.

pressing our surprise at the very equivocal

as plain people we cannot withhold ex- must be there first.

The following account of the history. of the Chinese Cotton Mills scheme. which it was proposed to inaugurate some time since, is given by the Shanghai Courier, whose information is gathered

from native sources :---The principal personages connected reported in our columns. The prisoner was pectant tao tais. The former has been of the tent, facing each other. Before if the original is obsolete, and the correspond on the contract of manufactured and the correspond on the contract of manufactured and the correspond on the corres Madame Doriani and her company ap Kobe Hotel, under circumstances already with the concern are Peng and T'a, exfound guilty of manalaughter, and the prefect of Chang teh-fu, in Szechuen, each man is placed a small bundle of heaten to be been a more leading to be been a more to be been Court sentenced him to imprisonment for and the latter has never held office. At sharpened sticks, each six or eight inches asked in the innocence of my heart, convicts at Kanagawa. Hupeh, whither he has proveeded in order provided with two thick, short, cy. But to my surprise, the Adjutant flew to raise funds for the fulfilment of the lindrical bone dice carefully fashioned into a most extraordinary rage. By Cotton mills scheme, and paying the de- and very highly polished. One of these Jove, he said, snatching the volume mands which have been made upon him. is white and the other black, or white out of my secreligious hands, you're Most readers of the English papers Tais still in Shanghai. As everybody with a black band. At the further end Stanley's Opera Troupe, that it must be that arrived by last mail must have been knows, the progress in the building of of the spartment musicians beat time on too fresh in the minds of all playgoers to satonished at the conferring of the the mills is at this time stopped for want rude parchaeut covered drums. One of satonished at the conferring of the line mills is at this time stopped for want rude parchaeut covered drums. One of satonished at the conferring of the line mills is at this time stopped for want rude parchaeut covered drums. One of satonished at the conferring of the line mills is at this time stopped for want rude parchaeut covered drums. THAT is good advice of the author of require any detailed description atther of distinction of a Companionship of the of funds, and the natives are of opinion the gamblers encloses a dice in each Guesta at Truth— When you doubt be plot or music. As we have previously order of St. Michael and St. George that the scheme will never be carried out, hand and, placing one above the other, Gad if there were no orders and retween two words, choose the plainest the stated, the opera is not an attractive one, upon the present Inspector General of as the Chinese merchants look unfavour- allows the upper bone to pass into the commonest, the most idiomatic. Listed the music in lew instances being worthy. Chinese Maritime Customs, Mr. Robert, ably on the connection of mendarine with other hand. This performance is kept but here rage seemed to choke his Rapheelic fine worthy chinese Maritime Customs, Mr. Robert, ably on the connection of mendarine with other hand. This performance is kept but here rage seemed to choke his Rapheelic fine worthy chinese Maritime Customs, Mr. Robert, ably on the connection of mendarine with other hand. This performance is kept but here rage seemed to choke his Rapheelic fine worthy chinese Maritime Customs, Mr. Robert, ably on the connection of mendarine with other hand. fine words as you would rouge our simple of Lecod's reputation. When originally Hars. This Order was revived mainly it, though efforts have been, and still are up for some time until the opposite utterance, and, hugging the precious Carracks.

Once as you would rouge our simple of Lecod's reputation. When originally Hars. This Order was revived mainly it, though efforts have been, and still are up for some time until the opposite utterance, and, hugging the precious Carracks. ones as you would native roses on your played in Paris Giroffs had a as a reward for services rendered in Her being, made to get up a new company to player has become completely mystified bilings bad a as a reward for services rendered in Her being, made to get up a new company to player has become completely mystified bilings by the damped month follows: During these movements have prohibited the London stage, in a slightly altered ment, and perhaps it was conferred on was first started. H. E. Li-Hung Chang During these movements he keeps his our Adjutant, but he perfectly worships case of the London stage, in a slightly altered ment, and perhaps it was conferred on was first started. H. E. Li-Hung Chang During these movements he keeps his our Adjutant, but he perfectly worships case out take the concern over. When the dear as to the position of the relative bones.

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The last rains. felt, and famine threatens. The last rains, performance, Madame Doriani proved orders have for the guidance of those who have for the last few years been might join the enterprise. The remarks have for the last few years been might join the enterprise. The remarks have for the last few years been might join the enterprise.

We have stated above that H. E. gave his sanction to the formation of a com- stake. pany to establish cotton mills. H. E. asked Peng how it was that he did not pay the foreigner the money that was due, and stated that if he had no money at the time he first mentioned his scheme. why did he not wait, or why did he undertake the business at all? It is as well-to mention here, that Ta had originally informed the Viceroy that he was lieve, to put him in funds, for he had settle the matter." Two days ago it was mise the matter with the foreign houg consider that a great mistake was made ment stamped with official seals before proceeding to execute the contract to

SUCCESS IN JOURNALISM. We have (says the Spectator) no experience of magazines, but we should betook himself to try what he could say distinctly that of all "leader" writers we ever encountered, the four best qualified to make money by their stances, a kind-hearted and affable art were a graduate of Aberdeen, stuffed to the lips with "feelosophy." Rugby boy, subsequently saturated with Oxford; a hard-drinking Canadian, who ral knowledge of the little after had never learned anything but French; dinner game they were playing that for and a Scotch compositor, who had never very good-nature the British Minister learned anything at all, and for that let him take a hand. The result was, matter, never knew anything, but who we need scarcely say, the Convention of made and spent a fortune through a Chefoo, and the polite and good-hearted charm of style which, in London, would gentleman in both cases was Mr Robert have made him both powerful and Hart, now C.M.G. Doubtless Mr Hart famous. Cobbett even to-day would be in both instances was doing but his snapped at as editor for a Radical paper, diplomatic duty, and like Tony's friend, which Douglas Jerrold would edit even he saved much unpleasant worry and better; while the most successful editor diplomatists. of our time was a man from Magdalen. We can quite understand how well No training makes, and no training appleased the Government to whom Tony's parently spoils, the successful littérateur despatches were conveyed was when the who makes of it a calling; and the father bag was opened, and the confidential who deliberately trained a son for it, would be taken sgaines all British subjects communications of the British Foreign would probably find that he had pro-Office were found within. Even Lever, duced one of three results :- Either the brilliant as was his imagination, did not lad could not do the work at all, which conceive the possibility of the obtainer would be best, as he would then find being invited to St. James, and being himself out early, and take to some work presented by Her Majesty with the he could do; or he could do it fairly well in the precise way which spoiled Of Mr Hart's C.M.G. position in this his work as a saleable article; or would absolutely refuse to make the tence of carrying out the views of his em- attempt. Mr. Payn omits that last ployers by whom he was placed in a element in the question from his calculaposition of confidence, he has really been | tion, but it is a very important one. A man with a disgust for the law may ment, we scarcely envy him the reward make himself a very good selicitor, and he has gained. If, on the other hand, a man with a hatred of the dissectinghe has been the zealous promoter of room might become a fair operator, but no man with an inner dislike of the capacity of confidential adviser, been the work amounting to an aversion wil instinator of many of the arguments and ever become a successful littérateur by statements recently propounded by the calling. It is creative work, after al Tsung-li Yameo, we fail to see how he of however poor a kind; and into al creative work, if it be but making waterhonour. The acceptance of a reward from jars, something of willingness, some faint emotion of delight in the work compatible with the holding of the itself, must always enter as the first condition of success. The delight may Inspectorate of Maritime Customs in the present condition of our relations, that | die when habitude has come, but

> AMONGST THE UTES. Gambling amongst the Ute Indians

this described by a recent traveller :-When visiting their encampments one is always attracted to several of the more prominent wick sups, or canvas tents, by the sound of subdued music, sight of a number of warriors engaged notes, but most of these, as I pointed visitor is rewarded for his trouble by the in gambling. The manner of procedure is as follows :- A number of players, men, arrange themselves on either side and they alter the corrections." " But

SIGNS AND PROJECTS OF THE DAY. | ing to some disadvantage, we shall on the servant of a foreign State, there | communications from H. E., he set to | by sticking one of the counters or twigs | full of years and general orders. Pour doubtless see her in a more favorable are other aspects which place the bestowal light in other characters. M. Blane of it by the British Germment, and its strove hard to win favor as Marasquin, acceptance by the Inspector General, in broker for the purpose of obtaining one man thas gained all his opponent's and so far as his acting was concerned, a somewhat inconsistent light. There is machinery from England. The foreign- counters he has wen the game, and so made a favorable impression. We should an old saying that no min can serve two er's terms being too high, he was recom- takes the stakes. During playing time found that some Tommy Atkins with a not like to say so much as to his vocal masters, but this little decoration of a mended to a foreign firm which agreed is kept to the shaking of the hands by powers, which were not altogether praise. Chinese official, though withal a British to do the needful for a smaller sum, with the drums, which are accompanied by a worthy; however, he may do better under subject, would seem to imply that in the more machinery. The bargain money weird chant by the players, that rises more favorable auspices, if he will eschew opinion of the British Foreign Office, Mr was fixed at The 50,000. Peng gave and falls; now swelling into a loud singing from the throat, and the equally Robert Hart, C.M.G., had contrived to promissory notes for Tis. 20,000, and refrain, and now dying almost away. when they fell due was unable to meet As the excitement increases the singing from an English point of view in the seem to most men of refined moral them! One of the partners of the becomes louder and louder, and the foreign firm, finding how matters were players become so deeply absorbed in Let us hope that when the Bombay going, went to Tientsin to see H. E. Li the reverses of the game that they are Force has done its marching and its Hung-Chang, in order that the Viceroy completely oblivious of all surrounding fighting it won't find 'itself' "slighted" might help him to get his money. Peng things. This gaming is kept up for days in the matter of those rewards of which also went to Tientsin to see his patron. together, and many players will only our Bengal brothren have already reapstop when they have nothing left to ed such a harvest.

> MUSIC IN THE PRIMARY SCHOOLS IN JAPAN.

Mr Luther Whiting Mason, of Boston.

with the Japanese Government, in the clerk" written on back. There was Tokio normal schools, as a Professor of nothing else, so I wrote again and asked music, a post created specially for Mr for an explanation. Another post card Mason, with a view to introducing the with the following curt remarks, "Firstculture of the musical art into the rate borth; pay good; nothing to do in primary schools of Japan. Mr Mason hot weather; nothing to do in rains; in has, for the past fifteen years, been in cold weather visit stations in your charge of the primary musical education | district and get good shikar: the clerk of the public schools of Boston, and is checks all the returns." If this is really the originator of the elementary system | the case, I shall at once apply for the which bears his name. He has met next vacancy. with considerable success in the instruction of several Japanese students in the United States, and it is their progress which has induced the Government to solicit the services of the professor. This gentleman has already set to foreign music several of the Japanese national songs, and has devoted some time during the last two years to the study of the sounds of the Japanese language, and their adaptability to the foreign scale of music. The proposec experiment is a new one; and many may doubt its success; but in the opinion of the professor, and those Japanese with whom he has been intimately associated, there is no question whatever that the creation of national school of music is simply a matter of time. It is, they think necessary to commence early with the youngest pupils in the public schools. The system consists of a series of musical books with charts attached, adapted to the ages of the pupils, between the years of five and eighteen. The method now prevalent throughout the United States, Germany, and Switzerland, and has made great advance in England. Such foreign songs as may be found suitable will be translated into Japanese, and the native repertory will also be drawn upon, and its best songs set to music on the European scale. The first work will be to find how many pure the five tone scale (for Mr Mason has discovered that the Japanese scale contains five tones only, being deficient of the fourth and seventh of the Italian gamut). Such of these melodies as exist can be preserved and the proper acprepared a building in the old Kaga vashiki, consisting of ten rooms for study for lectures. Mr Mason will be assisted

JOTTINGS BY A SUBALTERN. (Bombay Gazette.)

work by one of his most successful

pupils, Mr Isawa, who is devoted to his

profession and has the greatest hones of

its eventual progress in Japan. Music

being a recreation, and it being a matter

of importance that children shall not be

tired in the schools, occasional singing

exercises give relief in their studies;

pronunciation of the language, be con-

ducive to health, and, indirectly, effect a

good and beneficial influence on society.

-Japan Weekly Mail.

ulso promote a better

My introduction to this recondite and luminous volume happened in this wise. was reading in my bungalow and lazily enjoying that best smoke of the day, the after breakfast cheroot, when our Adjutant came in and said : " Hallo youngster, what are you reading?" and he took Mr Tennyson's "Idvils of the King" from my hand. "Poetry." said with the utmost disgust, "what's the good of poetry? Now look here, my boy; read this, and you'll soon know all the orders and regulations of the and he produced the work I have alluded to above. Opening it at random; saw the page I had lighted on was almost entirely obliterated, neat red lines having been drawn through the letter-press. "What's it all scratched out for?" I asked. "Been altered. margin." In the margin were many printed slips of paper; they are addenda,

the Staff Corps from a Queen's regiment.

During the defence of Gibraltar in 1872-3, an officer going his rounds God and the soldier all people adore

In time of war-but not before. And when war is over, and all is righted God is neglected-and the old soldier

But to revert for a moment to the subject of appointments. I recently wrote to a friend of mine to ask what were the duties of an Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry. To my surprise arrived in Yokohama on board the City | he sent me back a post card (I hate post of Peking. He has accepted a position | cards) with the words "Keep a good

Quotations. HONGKONG, March 24. OPIUM. -New Patna cash ... \$620 New Benaros, cash, 585 New Malwa, oredit, 735 Old-Malwa, oredit, 800 Exchange. 30 days' sight, 4 months' sight, Oredits, 4 Documentary, 4 months sight, India, Wire, ... ... ... Shanghal, demand, .... 80 days' sight, ... Gold Leaf, 99 fine ...

Sovereigns, ... Hongkong Bank, 57 % prem. sales. Union Ins. Society of C'ton, \$1,450, China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,450, North China Ins. Co., Tis. 1,150, Yangtaze Ins. Assoc., Tls. 730, Chinese Insurance Co., \$300, sales, H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$800, per share sales. China Fire Ins. Co., \$215, sales. H.K. & W. Dock Co., 6 % prem. H.K. C. M. S.-boat Co., \$24 prem, sales. Shanghal Steam Navigation, Tls. China Coast St. Nav. Co., Tls. 110 Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 Hongkong Hotel Co., \$66 p. shr., buyers. China Sugar Refining Co., \$159, sales, Chipese imperial Loan of 1874, nominal,

of 1877. Temperature. (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises.

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Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, dec. VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

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# Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a VISITORS' COLUMN, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

### List of Public Buildings.

Government House, North of Public Gardens.

Museum,-Free. Public Gardens, a beautifully picturesque

retreat and of great interest. The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf. General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's-throw.

Lusitano Club and Library, Shelley St. Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., near the Public Gardens.

St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above the Parade Ground.

Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington Union Church, Elgin Street. St. Peter's Scamen's Church, West Point

St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden Road, near Kennedy Road. Temperance Hall; specially adapted for sca-faring men, Queen's Road East. Sailors' Home, West Point.

E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and the Great Northern Telegraph Co., Marine House, Queen's Road. Masonie Hall, Zetland Street.

Victoria Recreation Club-Bath-house and Boat-house, &c., -Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City

The Barracks and Naval and Military Store Departments lie to the eastword, and cover a large area.

### Hotels.

Stag Hotel, good accommodation for visitors at moderate rates, 110, Queen's Road Central.-J. Cook, Proprietor. Hongkong Hotel, the largest and most commodious, at the corner N. E. of the

KEE, Lessees. Stores, Books, &c.

General Outfitter, Hosier, Tailor, &c .- T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47, Queen's Road, by special appointment to H.E. the Governor.

Chronometers, Watches, Jewellery, Maps and Charts. -G. FALCONER & Co., Fiji, via Torres Straits, Letters, 12; Re- Postmaster Ceneral of Hongkong im-Queen's Rond Central. Books, Music and Stationery -- KELLY

& WALSIL (next-door Hongkong Hotel) Travelling Requisites of all kinds, Books, &c.—LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. American and English Stores, Books, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 5. and specially selected Cigars .- MAC-EWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

American Newspapers and cheap Reprints, &c., choice Tobacco and Cigars. -Moore's Variety Store, 42, Queen's Road. Watches, Jewellery, Charts, Binocu-

lars, Optical Instruments, Mordan's Pencil-cases, &c .- John Noble, agent for Negretti & Zambra. Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Ammunition,

and Sportsman's Requisites of all descriptions.-WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gunmakers, 47, Wyndham Street.

## Chair and Boat Hire.

LEGALISED TARIFF OF FARES FOR CHAIRS,

CHAIR BEARERS, AND BOATS, IN THE COLONY OF HONGROUG. Chairs and Ordinary Pullaway Boats. Half hour, .... 10 cts. Hour, ...... 20 cts

Three hours,... 50 cts. Six hours,.... 70 cts. Day (from 6 to 6), One Dollar.

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Longkong Rates of Postage.

(Revised March 1, 1880.) In the following Statements and Tab'es the Rates are given in cents, and are, for

Letters, per half ounce, for Books and

Patterns, per tico ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, troble, &c., as the case may be, but such papers or packets or papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and | the character of an actual or personal correspondence, anch as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of appacket containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than The sender of any Registered Article

is accepted with regard to any parcel. may accompany it with a Return Receipt the ays:on of Registration will secure on paying an extra fee of 5 cents. senders against any but a very remote p The limit of weight for Books and Combability of loss. mercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices 4 lbs. l'atterna for such offices are limited found these facilities with a Parcel Pos to 8 ounces, and must not exe ed these Europe, &c., which does not exist. dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by

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Countries of the Postal Union. about to do so, it is necessary that The Union may be taken to comprise following rules be strictly observed. Europe, most foreign possessions in Asia Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritius, a N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Chili, Brazil, Peru, Venezuela, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana Houduras, Bermuda, Labuan, with all dution. Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese and Spanish Colonies.

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Postage to Union Countries. General Mates, by any route :-10 cents per | oz. Letters. Post Cards. 5 cents each. Regutration. 10 cents. Newspapers, 2 cents each. Books, Patterns and 2 cents per 2 oz. Comm. Papers,

There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union. Postage to Non-Union Countries. Hawaiian Kingdom :-Letters. Registration, None.

Newspapers. Clock Tower.-DORABJEE AND HING- Books & Patterns, West Indies (Non Union)+, Bolivia 1, pared to make good the contents of such Costa Rica, Ecuador, Guatemala, New correspondence lost while passing through Granada, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay T, the Post, to the extent of \$10, in certain

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\* A small extra charge is made on delivery. † There is Registration to British W. India nor by the disho esty or negligence of any Islands, 10 cents. To the Bahamas and Hayti, The San Francisco route is available.

1 Registration via San Francisco, 10 cents. Cannot be sent via San Francisco.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

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1. All correspondence posted before p m. on any week day for addresses in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two hours, unless the delivery abould be retarded by the Contract

2. Invitations, &c., can generally be delivered within Victoria at the private houses of the addressees rather than at places of business, if a wish to that effect be expressed by the sender, otherwise all correspondence is invariably delivered at the nearest place of business. (See Postal

8. Boxholders who desire to send Circulars, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, Cards, when there is more than one Christian lars, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, Cards, when there is more than one Uhristian financial Reform Almanack. Acc., all of the same weight, to addresses in he given if the order be crossed (as cheques Glasgow Herald.) and Japan, may deliver them to the Post are crossed). It can then be paid only Hobos. Office unstamped, the postage being then through a Bank, and may afterwards be Il Gran Pescatore di Chiaravalle charged to the sender's account. Each specially crossed to any Bank. India Portuguesa. batch must consist of at least ten.

to the same places in the same way. En- order on he transferred to another office velopes containing Patterns may be wholly on payment of an additional commission closed if the nature of the contents be first In case of loss of an order, necessity for exhibited or stated to the Postmaster stopping payment, or the like, application General, as he may consider necessary, and should be made to the nearest Money spproved by him. Printed Circulars may Order Office for instructions. be inserted in such Pattern Packers.

there is no such thing as Parcel Post the money will be forfeited. When the Pall Mall Budget. to Europe, &c. Much trouble and disap- order is once paid no further claim can be pointment is caused by persistent attempts entertained, to send small valuable trifles through the Post. Faus. Ouring, Articles of Dress. Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the nature of the contents was discovered.

Unclaimed Correspondence,

March 19, 1880.

Local Parcel Post.

between any of the Post Offices in China

or Japan, as well as to Macao, Pak-

hoi, Singapore, Penang, and Malacca.

They must not exceed the following dimen-

under Ordinance 10 of 1876, Section XII.

The Post Office is not legally responsible

for the safe delivery of Registered corres-

pondence, but henceforth it will be pre-

1. That the sender duly observed all the

2. That the letter was securely enclosed

3. That application was made to the

4. That the Postmaster General is satis-

fied that the loss occurred whilst the corres-

pondence was in the custody of the British

Postal administration in China, that it was

not caused by any fault on the part of the sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck,

person not in the employment of the

5. No compensation can be paid for mere

damage to fragile articles such as portraits,

watches, handsomely bound books, &c.,

which reach their destination, although in

Money Order Regulations.

1,-Money Orders are exchanged with

2.—Small sums may be remitted between

the other Ports by means of Postage

a broken or deteriorated condition.

Hongkong Post Office.

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Ц	the Postmaster General.	Brown, A. S. 1	Mondoy, Mousr. 1	
	2. The following cannot be transmitted:	Browning, H. E. 1	Moreno, Capt. 14	40
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New Zealand, Queensland, South Australia Colwyn Norman and Port Darwin, the Straits Settlements, Consolation, s.s. N. Boynton Western Australia, and (except at Shang-hai) with the Japanese Empire. Hongkong Davina also issues orders on Shanghai, and vice Denbigshire Pakholen Palestine Palmerston Pampero Cheneser

Stamps, subject to a charge of one per 3.—Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. Edward Barrow 2 An application for an order\* is filled up, and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations ingale of exchange. The Postmaster issues the Frelich

order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these Hakon Adeleteia 1 applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the departures of the mails. 4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50, or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the

same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day ; and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived. The commission is as follows :--

Orders on the United Kingdom. Up to £2..... 18 cents. 29 £5...... 86 11 

Local and Intercolonial Orders. Up to \$25 or £5 ..... 25 cents. , 850 or £10 .... 50 , 5 .- Lists of Money Order Offices in the Daily Review.

Hougkong and Shanghai. 8. - Names must be given in full (except Field. 7.—No order can be paid till the Payee Inverses Courier. 4. Boxholders may also send Patterns has signed it in the proper place. An Iron.

8 .- If the order be not presented within aix months an additional commission will Parcure.-The public is reminded that, be charged I if not within twelve months,

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Made out on a printed form which is supplied Local Orders on Shanghal are drawn at 2 per sent, premium in all cases. A fixed dollar rate for drawing on the United King- Warehousemen & Drapers. lom is in force at Shanghal.

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